

ASSEMBLY BILL 570 (LRB -3106)

An Act to amend 943.55 of the statutes; relating to: removal of a shopping cart and providing a penalty. (FE)

2003

10-09.	A.	Introduced by Representatives Gielow, Loeffelholz, Gronemus, Van Roy, Huebsch, Kestell, Ladwig, M. Lehman, Ainsworth, Suder, Albers, Krawczyk, Shilling, Bies, Hundertmark, LeMahieu, Gunderson and McCormick; cosponsored by Senators Zien, Lazich, S. Fitzgerald, Roessler, Breske and Schultz.	
10-09.	A.	Read first time and referred to committee on Criminal Justice	423
10-21.	A.	Fiscal estimate received.	
10-22.	A.	Public hearing held.	
10-23.	A.	Fiscal estimate received.	
10-30.	A.	Executive action taken.	
10-30.	A.	Assembly amendment 1 offered by committee on Criminal Justice (LRB a1537)	472
11-04.	A.	Report Assembly Amendment 1 adoption recommended by committee on Criminal Justice, Ayes 13, Noes 0	476
11-04.	A.	Report passage as amended recommended by committee on Criminal Justice, Ayes 13, Noes 0	476
11-04.	A.	Referred to committee on Rules	476

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01-15.	A.	Placed on calendar 1-20-2004 by committee on Rules.	
01-20.	A.	Read a second time	618
01-20.	A.	Assembly amendment 1 adopted	618
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01-20.	A.	Taken from the table	621
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01-20.	A.	Read a third time and passed, Ayes 96, Noes 0	621
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01-21.	S.	Received from Assembly	563
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02-10.	S.	Public hearing held.	
02-10.	S.	Executive action taken.	
02-11.	S.	Report concurrence recommended by committee on Judiciary, Corrections and Privacy, Ayes 5, Noes 0	609
02-11.	S.	Available for scheduling.	
02-24.	S.	Placed on calendar 2-26-2004 by committee on Senate Organization.	
02-26.	S.	Read a second time.	
02-26.	S.	Ordered to a third reading.	
02-26.	S.	Rules suspended.	
02-26.	S.	Read a third time and concurred in.	
02-26.	S.	Senator Panzer added as a cosponsor.	
02-26.	S.	Senator Brown added as a cosponsor.	
02-26.	S.	Ordered immediately messaged.	
02-27.	A.	Received from Senate concurred in.	

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October 9, 2003 - Introduced by Representatives GIELOW, LOEFFELHOLZ, GRONEMUS, VAN ROY, HUEBSCH, KESTELL, LADWIG, M. LEHMAN, AINSWORTH, SUDER, ALBERS, KRAWCZYK, SHILLING, BIES, HUNDERTMARK, LEMAHIEU, GUNDERSON and MCCORMICK, cosponsored by Senators ZIEN, LAZICH, S. FITZGERALD, ROESSLER, BRESKE and SCHULTZ. Referred to Committee on Criminal Justice.

1 AN ACT *to amend* 943.55 of the statutes; **relating to:** removal of a shopping cart
2 and providing a penalty.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, no person may intentionally remove a shopping cart or stroller from either a shopping area or a parking area adjacent to a shopping area to another place without authorization of the owner or person in charge and with the intent to deprive the owner permanently of possession of the cart or stroller. A person who violates this prohibition is subject to a forfeiture (a civil monetary penalty) of not more than \$50. This bill provides that a person who violates the prohibition is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor, which is punishable by a fine of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than nine months or both.

Because this bill creates a new crime or revises a penalty for an existing crime, the Joint Review Committee on Criminal Penalties may be requested to prepare a report concerning the proposed penalty and the costs or savings that are likely to result if the bill is enacted.

For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

3 SECTION 1. 943.55 of the statutes is amended to read:

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943.55 Removal of shopping cart. Whoever intentionally removes a shopping cart or stroller from either the shopping area or a parking area adjacent to the shopping area to another place without authorization of the owner or person in charge and with the intent to deprive the owner permanently of possession of such property shall forfeit an amount not to exceed \$50 is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

SECTION 2. Initial applicability.

(1) This act first applies to offenses committed on the effective date of this subsection.

(END)

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CORRECTIONS IN:

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 570**

Prepared by the Legislative Reference Bureau
(March 2, 2004)

In enrolling, the following correction was made:

1. Page 1, line 3: delete that line and substitute "amount not to exceed \$50
\$500 for each shopping cart or stroller so removed.".

(END)

**ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1,
TO 2003 ASSEMBLY BILL 570**

October 30, 2003 - Offered by COMMITTEE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE.

1 At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:

2 1. Page 2, line 5: delete that line and substitute "property shall forfeit an
3 amount not to exceed \$50 \$500 for each shopping cart or stroller so removed".

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(END)